NATION GREETED THE CHURCHMEN.

Ecumenical Congress Formally Opened by Former President Harrison.

MR. M'KINLEY'S WELCOME.

President, With Governor Roosevelt, Attended-Harrison's Quotation From Dewey Caused Laughter.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, April 21.-With a series of tremendous evations extended to President McKinley, former President Barrison and to Governor Roosevelt, 'the great Ecumenical Conference on Foreign Missions was opened to-day in Carnegie Hall. At both the meetings, in the afternoon and at night, the hall was packed from the stage to the topmost gallery and the liveliest enthusiesm was exhibited from opening to close

President's "Simple Dutles."

Admiral Dewey's remark about the "s'mple duties" of the President, as quoted by General Harrison, afforded almost the only matter of interest outside the domain of mission work. This quotation was made in the General's speech at night, whom he was directly addressing President McKinley. He

"It is a signal honor for m, sir, that you should leave for a time these great and grave duries which some one has recently

called 'simple."

When he spoke the word "simple" the

tion of a material production and a decear struggle for markets. Cabinets, as well as trade chambers, are thinking of the world chiefly as a market-house, and of men as producers' and 'consumers. We now selected market political dominion. Finces are strategic pull-markly from the commercial standpoint. "Colonies are corner stadis in the world's market place. If the produce tarries too long in the warchouse the mail must shut down, and discontent will walk the streets. The propulsion of this commercial force upon Cabinets and nations was bever so The propulsion of this commercial force upon Cabinets and nations was hever so strong as now. The battle of the markets is at its fercest. The great quot of the tiens is for consumers. The voice of commerce is: 'And my hand shall find as a next the riches of the people; and as one sathereth eggs that are left, will i gather all the earth.'

Tendency Not to Brotherhood.

"But with the increase of commerce and wealth the stress of social difficulties is not relieved, but increases in all of the freat nations. The tendency is not to one brotherhood, but to many. Work for the willing, at a wage than will save the spirit as well as the body, is a problem of increasing tangle and intricacy. Competition forces economical devices and names wages that are, in some cases, haudicient to renew the strength expended.

"It suggests, if it does not compel, aggregations of capital; and these, in turn, present many threatening aspects. Agencies of man's devising may alleviate, but they cannot cure this tendency to division and Tendency Not to Brotherhood. strife, and substitute a drift to peace and unity. Christ in the heart and his gospel

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"It attests the profound pleasure and satisfaction which all of us feel that the representatives of more than 20 societies engaged in the work of foreign missions in every part of the globe are guests within

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the Liederkranz Club, on Thirteenth street and Choudent avenue.

The programme included plane solog, a song by the male chorus, a duet by J. H. August Meyer and Fred Dichm, a humorous toast to Meyerbeer by Ernst Helfensteller. Charles Heckel sang several tenor solos, Franz Hassendeubel, a barytone solo, Albert Stracke and Leois Hilfer a duet, Adelbert Naher a recitation, and then there was a song by the male chorus.

Among those present were: Ernst Metan.

MILES POINTS OUT SCANDAL IN ARMY.

Commanding General Continues His Attack on the Ordnance Department.

USE OF DISAPPEARING GUNS.

Certain Officials Interested in the Patent Attacked for Too Lavish Buying of Them.

Washington, April 21.-General Miles is continuing his attacks on the Army Ordnance Department both by information fornished to the Senate Military Committee and by letters to the Secretary of War. Today he attacked the lavish use of disappearing gun carriages, which he showed is a scandal to the army. The Ordnance Bureau officials owning or

controlling patents for disappearing gun carriages, are foreing their general use in places where they are not needed, according such carry on the task-ine continuous to General Miles, who is chairman of the proclamation of his Gospel to the end of Board of Fortifications and Coast Defense. to General Miles, who is chairman of the The carriages used for these purposes are largely the Invention of General Bushing-ton, the Chief of the Ordnance Bureau, and while General Miles does not mention names, the character of criticism leaves no room to doubt who is meant as involved in the scandal. General Miles has formally

Ward is after the Beschs with a sharp prod. Mr. Kratz charges that fraudulent is kept out of a scat in the Chy Committee.

At a big meeting of the Tenth Ward Republican Chib last night Mr. Kratz dealt
with what he denominates the "Cherokee
Garden gang" in no uncertain terms. The
meeting was held in the hall at the corner
of broadway and Chippewa streets. The
room was filled to overflowing when Mr.
Kratz took the floor. He was introduced
by the chairman as the man who was trying to "get honest politics in the ward."
He said:

that is upon us. It is up to yea, her you cast your ballot or a lot of a and clerks do it. It is a poculiar that every one of those 15 ballots the name of Frank Warner in the handwriting. If the judges and a do not do their duty we will make do it, or we will pult them out and p on them." stamp out them."

In the course of his speech Mr. Kratz was cheered londly. Charles Gutke, member of the House of the legates, was called for. He deciated he steed with Mr. Kratz for a pure ballet, and he knew the peech of the ward were with him. He was loadily cheeted. Several more speakers ably seconded Mr. Kratz's remarks and promised to stand by him ontil the last. The matter will be vigorously prosecuted in the courts.

RIVER NEWS. Rise and Full of the Rivers for the 24 hours ending at \$ a. m.r. St. Londo, Mos. April 21, 1900. Danger.

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COLONEL COLSON ACQUITTED. Wild Demonstration in Court When

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the Verdict Was Read. Frankfort, Ky., April 21.-Ex-Congress-Frankfort, Ky., April 21.—Ex-Congress-man David G. Colson, who has been on trial for the last four days for the murder of Lieutenant Etheliert Scott and Lather W. Demarre, was acquisted by the verdict of the jury, which was returned at 6.35 o'clock this evening. The jury was out only eighteen minutes.

There was a great silence as the jury filed into the controom, but there was a demonstration when threat the first unished resuling the verdict, which read; "We the new, that the defendant not guil-

As the last words were read, the crowd agase and sent up a will cheer. Colonel Colson the detendant, was standing near the witness chair. The crowd took no nolice of the court officer, who pounded vigerously for order, but pile dover the railings surrounding Colson and Insisted on shaking hands with him. They gave an ovarion to the jury and Colonel James Andrew Scott, Colson's their counsel. The cheering was kept up till Colson left the courtroom, and, as he did so, it was taken up by the Beckham soldiers in front of the Courthouse, to which the Colonel very gracefully returned a salute.

The tragedy which resulted in the crime for which Colson was tried occurred January 16, in a duel with Lieurenant Ethelbert F. Scott in the lobby of the Capital Hotel, crowded at the time by people attracted here from over the Stale by the political contests, Colson killed his antagonist, Scott, and Luther W. Iemarce and Charles Julian, bystanders, and wounded Capitaln B. B. Golden, who accompanied Scott and whom Colson's friends charge with having taken part in the battle. Both Scott and whom Colson's friends charge with having taken part in the battle. Both Scott and Colson emptied their pistols, fifteen or twenty shots being fired in all. Scott had seven builtes in his body. Colson was wounded in the arm. The weight of the evidence was that he received this wound early in the fight, and that Scott fired before Colson arose from his chair.

BOHEMIAN "BRETISLAVA."

Twentieth Anniversary Celebration at National Hall.

There was a large gathering at the cele-bration of the twenti-th anniversary of the Behemian Ladies' Sactety "Bretislava" at the National Hall, on Dolman street and Alen avenue. Almost the entire Behemian population of the South Side was present and they brought many friends of other nationalities.

The hall was prettily decorated in the national colors in honor of the event, and the halles and gentlemen officiating on the various committees were appropriate sushes and colors. Until early morning the dance lasted, and supper was served at mid-night.

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INJURED BY AN EXPLOSION.

Cartridge Was Discharged in Louis Clockman's Hand. Louis Clockman, who lives at the South House, council Broadway and Clark avenue, was injured last night by the explosion of a The hall and portions of the shell pene-trated his right hand, and Superintendent Discour Nieters of the City Hospital thinks it will be necessary to amputate his right arm. Clockman was employed as a porter for the Broadway Museum Company at No.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Sodalla, Mo., April 2L.—The annual conference of the ministers of the German M. E. Church of the Kansas City division adjourned sine die to-day, they having decided to hold the next annual conference in Kansas City. Before adjourning a resolution was read by the Reverend Mr. Fletter of Sedalla, instructing delegates to the general conference to do all in their power to change the boundaries of the conference, the idea being to have three conferences where there

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